

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A wireless microphone comprising:
a color display which is visible from the outside and which signals ~~multiple~~
~~parameters~~ a ready status of the microphone; and
a switching device being provided for switching the color of the display,
wherein the wireless microphone is differentiated between other microphones within
an area by illuminating a color marking which distinguishes the microphone from other
microphones having different color markings.
2. (Original) The microphone according to claim 1, wherein the microphone has
multicolored LED elements, wherein the LED lights can be controlled by said switching
device in such a way that only a desired color is visible from the outside.
3. (Original) The microphone according to claim 1, wherein illumination which emits
white light is provided in the microphone, wherein the illumination is covered by a rotatable
disk in which windows of different colors are formed.
4. (Original) The microphone according to claim 2, wherein LED illumination is pulsed
and information can be transmitted by way of the illumination and evaluated automatically by
a studio TV camera system.
5. (Original) The microphone according to claim 3, wherein the LED illumination is
pulsed and information can be transmitted by way of the illumination and evaluated
automatically by a studio TV camera system.

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6. (New) A microphone system comprising:
a plurality of microphones;
wherein each one of the plurality of microphones comprises:
a color display which is visible from the outside and which signals one of a plurality
of parameters of the microphone; and
a switching device being provided for switching the color of the display depending on
a specific parameter assigned to the microphone,

wherein each one of the plurality of microphones is differentiated between other
microphones within an area by illuminating a color marking which distinguishes each one of
the plurality of microphones from other microphones having different color markings.